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Republican National Ticket.

For President, BENJAMIN HARRISON, Of Indiana. For Vice President, LEVI P. MORTON, Of New York.

THURSDAY, OCT. 11, 1888.

REPORTS from the northwest show an average yield of eighteen bushels of wheat to the acre in northern Minnesota and fifteen bushels to the acre in Dakota.

THE Manitoba legislature has ratified the contract which gives the Northern Pacific railroad control of the Red River Valley line and the work of completing the new road will be pushed forward rapidly.

WHAT the workmen of this country need is a tariff which will cause more goods to be manufactured here and not a measure which begins by making over \$70,000,000, or one-sixth of all our dutiable imports free.

THERE is a democratic newspaper in New Haven called the Register. It says: "We may as well be frank and state the situation as it is. The chances to-day in Connecticut are against the democrats."

THE number of Chinese born in the United States and who are "natives," will now increase amazingly, for they can be admitted to the glorious privileges of this free country. Already one of them, a young woman, has landed in Portland, and claims to be a native.

FRANK HURD is quoted as admitting that all hope of the democrats securing the electoral vote of New York is gone. Hurd's idea is that some western or northern states must be captured from the republicans to offset New York, New Jersey and Connecticut, which are practically lost already.

It has leaked out that the democrats have just completed a thorough canvass of Indiana, by school districts—that is, have made a record of how every man in the state will vote, as near as can be ascertained—and the result has dismayed them. They are 10,000 behind, and getting further away every day.

THE president in his letter of acceptance, after making the statement of the republican position in reference to the internal taxes to be the removal of tobacco taxes and taxes on whisky used in the arts and for mechanical purposes, reiterates the charge of the democratic papers that the platform favors free whisky. He cannot rise above misrepresentation if he is president.

THE White Chapel murderer has written a letter which he signs "Jack, the Ripper," and the detectives have been given, thereby, a clue. This monster, who seems to have been perpetrating those murders for the sole purpose of becoming notorious, finds that being the only individual who knows who he is, there is no satisfaction for his monstrous vanity in the situation, and he is yearning to have the world know who so fine an artist is, though he shrinks from the consequences of becoming known. The letter will bring "Jack, the Ripper," to execution.

Every indication is in favor of a sweeping republican victory on the 6th of November. The interest centers, of course, on the four states considered doubtful—that is, New York, New Jersey, Connecticut and Indiana; but it must be remembered that the position of the democrats and republicans with regard to these states is very different. The republicans can win without New York and the democrats cannot.

This is the way the matter stands. It requires 201 electoral votes to elect. Of these Cleveland may be credited with 153, the vote of the solid South—though that is not absolutely certain—leaving him 48 to get somewhere else. Now, if he can carry New York, with 35 votes, he will then have 188, or 12 short. He will then need Indiana, with her 15 votes, or New Jersey with 9 and Connecticut with 6, which would give him his 201, with 3 to spare. But unless he can carry New York, he can have the united vote of Indiana, New Jersey and Connecticut without doing him any good; for their aggregate vote added to that of the solid South makes only 183, which is 18 short of what he needs.

The republicans, on the other hand, can count with confidence on every Northern state except the four named. This gives an aggregate of 181 electoral votes to start with, or 20 less than a majority; so if they can carry Indiana and Connecticut, or Indiana and New Jersey, they can win without New York, as Indiana and New Jersey would give them 21 votes, and Indiana and Connecticut 21, where only 20 are needed.

But the chances are excellent for carrying New York, in which event the vote of Indiana, New Jersey and Connecticut becomes immaterial, so far as the general result is concerned. Every day makes it more and more certain that New York will go republican and that Mr. Cleveland cannot be re-elected. In fact, the probabilities are that Harrison will carry every Northern state, without exception.

HOW TARIFF HELPS FARMERS.

The free traders will say that the farmer derives no advantage from any of these duties [imposed on certain articles which he raises.] Yet it is a fact that, even under the present tariff, large quantities of farm produce are imported from Canada every year, and the amount would be still greater were the duties abolished. Potatoes, cabbages, oatmeal, butter, etc., are now imported from Europe to the seaboard cities, reducing the demand from our own farmers, while were the duty taken from wheat, we would see the cheap wheat of India competing with the western farmers' product in the eastern states.

The great advantage to the farmer, however, of the tariff, is that it builds up manufacturing establishments which employ hundreds of thousands of workmen who are customers, and thus create a home market for its products. On the other hand, free trade would destroy those industries, and either force those employed in them out of the country or compel them to go upon the land and become farmers themselves, thus cheapening farm products.

The Mills bill cuts out many if not all of these protected articles. We believe in high protection if anything, for the protection of farmers—protection so that hay, potatoes, eggs, onions, cabbage, etc., cannot be brought to this country. If the manufacturers have a right to the home market so have the farmers, and we believe that the policy of the republican party, which is broadly in the interest of protection, will see to it the farmer is protected thoroughly and wholly, and the home market shall be his and his alone.

It is demonstrated by the record that the Cleveland administration has already cost the country \$95,000,000 more than the expense of the government during the four years' administration of Garfield and Arthur. This in spite of the hypocritical profession of economy and reform on the part of the democratic administration. The American people persuade themselves that they can get a better article of government for less money, by electing Harrison and Morton next November.

It is the intention of the North Pacific fruit growers' association to make the society a state institution and go before the next legislature to ask for legislation on the subject of fruit pests, that being a matter of great and general importance.

THE COMMISSION OF JOSHUA.

PRACTICAL APPLICATION.

The command to Joshua, "Now, therefore arise, go over this Jordan, and all this people, unto the land which I do give to them; even to the children of Israel." And then follows the more specific assurance: "Every place that the sole of your foot shall tread upon, that have I given unto you, as I said to Moses." No more can we expect possession of the places now made fruitful by the drink habit and traffic, until our feet shall tread upon them, than could these Israelites, while they feared, or hesitated, or loitered by the way. God will do His part, we must do ours. Joshua had shown his willingness to go forward in the face of mighty peril, and so God could trust him with the great commission. Were all our prayers for the destruction of the rum power backed by action, possession might be ours. Be strong and of a good courage!—the exhortation of the 5th verse is repeated with emphasis in the 7th verse. "Only be thou strong and very courageous; and again, "Be strong and of good courage; and still again, "Be not afraid, neither be thou discouraged; for the Lord thy God is with thee whithersoever thou goest."

The contagion of weakness and fear can never be truly estimated, no more can the inspiration of courage and heroic firmness. Who has not seen societies and communities discouraged and noble plans defeated by even a single faint heart. How much of depression and loss of energy in our difficult, aggressive effort, come from contact with good people who lack real courage and strength, and a sturdy confidence in the eternal principles of right which must undergird every cheerfully resolute contestant with evil. Now and then come statements, made in the very face of facts to the contrary, that the temperance cause is making little progress; that this and that worthy endeavor is a failure. Even if this were true, as happily it is not, there would be none the less the duty of effort on our part. As our lesson plainly teaches, true courage and firmness come from a sense of God's presence and obedience to His commands. The results of such obedience we can safely leave with Him.—L. R. F. K'ndall.

The Commercial Gazette having published an article claiming that the "no license" rule in Warren, Penn., was ruining its business and depopulating the town, S. P. Johnson writes from there denying these charges and sustaining his denial by the facts, that the list of voters is larger now than ever before in Warren, that more municipal improvements are being made than ever before, and more first-class buildings erected; mechanics are unusually busy; the jail is empty, churches full, and the community never more quiet. He adds: "The only trouble is, that the women of the W. C. T. U. have been after the saloons and have squelched them in this country. God bless the women!" ON DUTY.

"How often does rum cause the cheeks of innocent sisters to tingle with the blush of shame, pierce the hearts of fond mothers, and plough deep furrows on the brows of kind fathers, and yet we are called fanatics when we earnestly entreat all, especially the young, neither to touch, taste, nor handle the accursed stuff." L.

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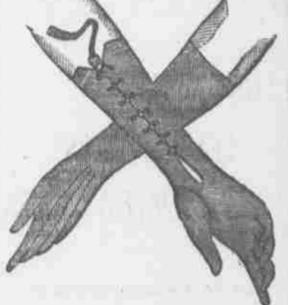
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